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NRC TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETING DEC. 4 IN ROCKVILLE, MD., TO DISCUSS AGENCY'S INTERNAL SAFETY CULTURE

Nuclear Regulatory Commission staff will conduct a public meeting in Rockville, Md., on Thursday, Dec. 4, to discuss potential initiatives that could improve the agency's "internal safety culture." Safety culture in its broadest sense refers to how well the NRC's policies and working environment support the NRC's safety and security mission.

"All employees at the NRC contribute to its safety mission regardless of their position," said Chairman Dale Klein. "This meeting provides us the opportunity to seek broader input from all stakeholders on this matter."

This public meeting will be opened with remarks by Commissioner Gregory Jaczko. A panel discussion will follow with representatives from the NRC staff, the public, other federal agencies, and organizations who are involved with safety culture initiatives. The NRC staff will provide a brief presentation describing the initiatives of the Internal Safety Culture Task Force and the NRC's policies and working environment to support nuclear safety and security. In addition, there will be an opportunity for questions from the audience.

The public is invited to participate in this meeting in one of three ways: in person at the NRC Headquarters in Rockville, Md., through teleconference, or by way of the Internet via Webinar services.

The meeting will be held in Room T8A1 of the agency's Two White Flint North building, at 11545 Rockville Pike. It will run from 8:30 a.m. until noon. A complete agenda is available on the NRC's Web site at: <http://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/index.cfm>.

The NRC provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities where appropriate. Anyone with questions or those wishing to make public statements during the meeting and to make your reservation to participate via teleconference please notify the NRC's meeting contacts: Mindy Landau at (301) 415-8703, email at Mindy.Landau@nrc.gov or Lisa-Anne Culp at (301) 492-3398, email at Lisa.Culp@nrc.gov. To register to participate via Webinar go to the following Web address at www1.gotomeeting.com/register/495935302. If you have technical questions or concerns about access using the teleconference or Webinar services, please contact Patricia Eng, at (301) 415-7254.

More information on Safety Culture is available on the agency's Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/about-nrc/regulatory/enforcement/safety-culture.html>.

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